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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

STEPHEN CLARK PURCELL

Application No.: 09/925,159

Filed: August 8, 2001

For: EFFICIENT SERIALIZATION OF
BURSTY OUT-OF-ORDER RESULTS

Customer No.: 20350

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Examiner: Lewis Alexander Bullock, Jr.

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 5, 2004, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.